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Examiner : Linh M Nguyen

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TITLE : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR REFLECTION DELAY SPLITTING  
DIGITAL CLOCK DISTRIBUTION

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**AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Final Office Action mailed November 03, 2004, having a period for response set to expire on February 03, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification**, if any, begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the claims**, if any, are reflected in the listings of claims that begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings**, if any, begin on page 8 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks/Argument** begin on page 9 of this paper.

If there are amendments to the drawings, an **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following the signature page of this paper.

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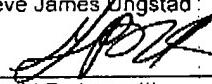
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Respectfully submitted,

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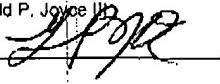
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**Comments:**

Dear Sirs:

Attached please find a response to the final office action mailed November 3, 2004.

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